

28 October '03

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The Idylls of the King  
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Oct 29<sup>th</sup> 1903

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Merlin and Vivien

Tableaux in two scenes  
Gareth and Lynette

Tableaux in four scenes  
Geraint and Enid

Tableaux in six scenes  
Lancelot and Elaine

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Entertainment

Merlin . . . . M. Hilliard.  
Vivien . . . . E. A. Smith.

Gareth . . . . K. Loveday.  
Gareth's mother . . M. Wilkinson.  
Arthur . . . . M. Rothera.  
Lynette . . . . M. Owen.

Enid . . . . G. Francis.  
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"An Ambleside Evening."

BLAKE, by Miss SMEETON.

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A SONG, read by Miss J. M. Wilkinson.

"MAD SONG," read by Miss Dixon.

"TO THE EVENING STAR," read by Miss Clendinnen.

"TO THE MUSES," read by Miss Wiseman.

"PIPING DOWN THE VALLEY WILD," sung by Miss Heath.

THREE OF THE "SONGS OF INNOCENCE," read by Miss  
Olive Franklin.

"AH! SUNFLOWER," read by Miss M. Dixon.

"THE TIGER," read by Miss Tetley.

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English Entertainment

Our final criticism seasons being over we  
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second night of Mr. Parey's visit; and we  
were not disappointed. It proved a most  
successful evening. They had arranged a series  
of tableaux taken from the "Idylls of the King"  
each tableau being accompanied by a quota-  
tion descriptive of the scene. The costumes were  
splendidly made up & most effective. Several  
of the scenes were recurred again & again.  
The last scene of the death of Elaine was es-  
pecially well done, the shape of the boat having  
been imitated in a most ingenious fashion.  
We had a varied musical programme between  
each programme tableau. Miss Barnett, Miss  
Thomson & Miss Hollis sang. Miss Wilson &  
Miss Wise played; & Miss Saunders gave us  
a violin solo as a termination to the most  
successful evening.



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### Literary Evening.

On Wednesday evening the 13<sup>th</sup> of November Miss Thomson gave us a delightful evening on Ballads.

She told us how ballads first came to be played and sung, by wandering minstrels, giving us a general idea of British Ballads, how they have been passed on by word of mouth through different generations; and generally by the poorer classes, and so have been altered from time to time. Miss Thomson pointed out that the merit of the Scotch Ballads is the simplicity and directness of the language. Miss Barnett sang Edward a very stirring Ballad, Miss Hollins sang Leslie Lindsay and The Two Corbies. Miss Mart sang The Bailiff's Daughter of Islington, Miss Poffe Glenlogie, Miss Thomson sang The Earl of Murray, and a Drige, all the students singing the chorus. Miss Williams, Miss Wise & Miss Smith read some other Ballads.

Altogether the evening was a most enjoyable one,

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so everyone will be looking forward to a repetition of it at the end of the term.

### Literary Evening. Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>

On Tuesday evening Miss White gave us a delightful evening on Burns. She gave an interesting sketch of his life illustrating her statements with regard to his style by asking various students to read selections and short poems. Part of the *Cottar Saturday Night* was read also the *Wife of Waverley*, *To a Mountain Daisy*, *My Mary* and several others. *Robin Adair*, *Ye Banks and Braes*, *Scots we hae*, *Ae fond kiss*, and *Auld lang syne* were sung by Miss Owen, Poffe Thomson and Barnett and Thomson respectively. This mixture of songs and reading made the evening most pleasant and everybody enjoyed it.



Entertainment.

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> Nov: 1903.

The Juniors gave us a delightful amusing entertainment on Saturday. They selected portions from books which they very cleverly represented. The books chosen were "Eliza", "Oliver Twist", & "Nicholas Nickleby".

The scene chosen from "Oliver Twist" was where Mr. Bumble comes to see Mr. Corney. The whole scene was very amusing, a special feature of the scene was the fire-place very cleverly made of brown paper.

The scene from "Nicholas Nickleby" was where Mr. Nickleby & Kate were sitting in the arbor & were disturbed by the "Lunatic at Large" throwing various vegetables over the hedge into their midst. Miss Owen as the Lunatic was splendid.

After these scenes Miss J. Dixon read her "Alice in Scale How" to us which we thoroughly enjoyed.

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5<sup>th</sup> Dec: 1903

The afternoon's entertainment began with a paper on Scotch Ballads which was read by Miss Thomson. It was the same paper which she had previously read but which had lost none of its interest for those who had heard it ~~was~~ must have been full of interest for those who had not heard. Miss Thomson's reading was very clear & distinct & we enjoyed it thoroughly. The paper was varied by various Scotch ballads being sung or read. Miss Smith read three of the ballads splendidly & the singers quite distinguished themselves; Miss Hollins had, unfortunately, a bad cold which did not allow her to do herself justice. Tea followed the paper; & the visitors examined our handicrafts. After tea the Juniors gave their



entertainment - Scenes from 'The Rivals' -  
 It was splendid & very funny.  
 Miss Smith took the part of 'Sir  
 Anthony Absolute' splendidly, &  
 Miss Rothera made a very good  
 'M<sup>rs</sup> Malaprop'; but all acted very  
 well. As usual the juniors had most  
 original ideas for the scenery, - a wall  
 made of brown paper +. The costumes  
 were exceedingly good, especially  
 those of the men, with their long coats,  
 lace ruffles, & cocked hats, & powdered  
 wigs; a costume which suited them  
 all & it was hard to realize that they  
 were really 'Scale How Students'.  
 The intervals were filled by music  
 piano, violin & cello.  
 All through Miss Wilton has proved  
 a most willing & indefatigable ac-  
 -companist.  
 The visitors left soon after 6-30 & in  
 less than half-an-hour it would have  
 been hard to tell that anything had

taken place out of the ordinary.



Jan 30<sup>th</sup>

Winter Term 1904.

The juniors gave us their first entertainment. The chief item was very spirited performance of scenes from the "Scaramouches". Afterwards there were tableaux of book titles some of which were not found out. "The pleasures of life" was well shown by a room full of girls - playing the piano, knitting, chair caning & working baskets.

Between the different scenes we had music. Miss Harlan & Miss Glenney sang, & Miss Heligan played on the piano. The evening went off very well indeed.

Jan 26<sup>th</sup>

Miss Saunders organized a Musical Evening which was very successful. She played several violin solos, Miss Barnett sang among others and several Duets were played.

Feb 7<sup>th</sup>

Miss Rothera gave a most delightful evening on "Toussaint & Overture".

Feb 16<sup>th</sup>

Miss Smith gave a most delightful evening on Thackeray.

Feb 23<sup>rd</sup>

Miss Wilkinson gave a most delightful ~~evening~~ reading of "The Tempest". It had to be somewhat abridged in order to be finished in time, but the selections were well made and just filled up the time exactly.

March 7<sup>th</sup>

Miss Hilliard gave a delightful evening on Dickens. ~~Mr~~ Dr Webb was present.

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Miss Dwen gave a delightful reading on "King John".

March 22<sup>nd</sup>

Miss Flower gave a most interesting evening on "Keats" which was much enjoyed.



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Summer Term  
April 23<sup>rd</sup> The Juniors gave their first entertainment early in this term as they chose the evening after the Sloyd examination. The first item was a very funny dialogue called "The Geese" & acted splendidly by Miss Haslam & Miss Wiseman.

"Ici on parle français" a humorous sketch was then acted; Miss Nelson & Miss Judd enacted the rôles of landlord & landlady of a new lodging house very well. Miss Clendinnen acted the part of an amorous French youth splendidly & her mixed up jargon of French & English was very amusing.

Miss Glenney & Miss Anna Dixon sang & played between the two scenes.

May 10<sup>th</sup>

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Miss Owen read a pleasurable paper on Milton. The songs from "Comus" set to music by Handel were sung & the paper was further illustrated by readings from Milton's poems.

Miss Saunders gave a delightful 'musical evening' taking Schubert's works as her subject. Miss Barnett sang "Der Erl König", and was to have given "Der Wanderer" also, but the weather was so lovely that the recital was cut short to enable the visitors to enjoy the fine day.

We therefore had only 3 more items, a quartette by Misses Hollins, Owen, Saunders, and Dixon, entitled "The Lord is my Shepherd". Delighted the guests.

Then "Ave Maria" which Miss Hollins sang in German beautifully, lastly Schubert's Adagio in C Major played with much expression by Miss Mahony.



June 18<sup>th</sup>

We all spent a very delightful afternoon & evening with Mrs Richardson at Batteray House, Wray. The garden & flowers were much enjoyed, we had some exciting "Bumble-buggy tournaments," and a very amusing "hat trimming competition."

June 4<sup>th</sup>

Miss Mason gave an "at home", to which about fifty people came. It was a beautiful afternoon & though rather windy, it was warm enough to have tea out-of-doors; we arranged about a dozen little tables on the lawn outside the verandah. After tea the guests walked about the garden & along the terrace; & we took them, a few at a time, to the Millet room, where the seniors' Lloyd models & some carton models of the juniors, were on view, Miss Barnett showed them off, & the visitors were much interested in them. At 5.30 everyone assembled in the class-room or just outside, to hear some of the music, from Miss Saunders' Schubert

evening, performed, which has already been described under that head. The party went off very well, & everyone seemed to enjoy it. We were very glad that Miss Mason was well enough to come out to tea & remained down nearly all the afternoon.

November 1<sup>st</sup> Miss Blease read a sketch of Thomas Hood's life which was illustrated by selections from his works. Miss Williams read "Eugene Aram" and Miss Barnett extracts from "Miss Milman's eggs Golden Leg"

November 15<sup>th</sup> Miss Dixon read a very interesting paper on Handel which was illustrated by selections from his compositions. The selections were so skillfully made that we were able to appreciate the style of the composer. There was a violin duet by Miss Dixon and Saunders; a <sup>vocal</sup> trio sung by Miss Saunders Dixon & Judd. Miss Barnett sang "He shall feed his flock" and "I know that My Redeemer liveth." Mr Percy was with us on that night and



thoroughly appreciated it.

Nov 16<sup>th</sup>

The Tumors gave a most enjoyable entertainment in honour of Mr Perez's visit. They acted a "skit" on all the work & principles of Scale How, & even reading copious extracts from "Home Education" & even daring to "take off" Mr Perez himself, much to his amusement. Miss Todd, a dignified Aunt, completely lost her dignity, by illustrating the word "grumper" in a French Grammar lesson - she had to climb up the back of a blackboard easel to illustrate it!!! Miss Clendinnen took the part of "Uncle" admirably & Miss H Dixon, Stanton & J Wilkinson were true P.N.E.U. children!

Dec 9<sup>th</sup>

As a farewell entertainment the Tumors acted their French Play "La fureur de Seville" by Roy Villars. It was a huge success & amply repaid Mademoiselle for all the trouble she had taken. The choruses of Spanish market girls looked their part wonderfully well & the brightly coloured skirts & black velvet boleros, over white blouses made a very pretty scene. Miss Clendinnen took the part of an American Artist Traveller & her atrocious French was most amusing. Miss Tetley had painted a most beautiful ~~background~~ <sup>ground</sup> background for the scenery & Mr M had made delightful fruit stalls for the market place.

Altogether, the scenery, acting dresses, & singing ~~was~~ <sup>were</sup> most delightful. Afterwards we ~~had~~ repaired to the dining room, where ~~was~~ Miss Mason had provided a magnificent Christmas supper.



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After supper we finished up with a short dance, In Rogu de Coverley + Auld Lang Syne.

November 29<sup>th</sup> Mrs Smith read an Essay on George Meredith written by a friend of Miss Mason's. Miss Williams read "seedtime" and Miss Smeeton "Melampus". Everyone enjoyed the poems of one of our modern poets.

April 12<sup>th</sup>. Miss H. Smeeton gave us a delightful evening on William Blake, poet + painter. It was illustrated by several of the "Songs of Innocence" which Miss Barnett sang, + many of his poems were read. Miss Smeeton showed us Blake's illustrations to Blair's "Grave", also his "Canterbury Pilgrims". We all enjoyed it very much.

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April 14<sup>th</sup>

Miss Selley gave us an extremely interesting evening on Major-General Sir Henry Havelock K.C.B. After giving us an account of his life, Miss Selley read interesting descriptions of the parts of the Indian Mutiny in which Havelock played a prominent part. A well-planned map illustrated the battles fought by Havelock on his way to the relief of Lucknow which was besieged during four months. Miss Smeeton read Henryson's "Relief of Lucknow".

The Juniors gave us a most amusing entertainment. We were most delighted with the scene of Hubert + Arthur from King John which was admirably recited by Miss Whittall. There were several tableaux including "The night of the storm" "The Dying Gladiator" "Mazawatee Lee" - The Princess and the



Swinehead from Hans Andersen. Miss Mitchell was the Princess, Miss Whittall was the Swinehead.

May 5<sup>th</sup>

Summer Term 1905.

A most interesting evening was provided for the ex-students assembled for the Conference week. The entertainment consisted of several amusing readings & recitations in various dialects. The first recitation was "Bill Thompson's Bride" in Lancastrian dialect, very well given by Miss Whittall. Miss Taylor gave us a reading from "Wee Macgregor". Miss Williams read a most amusing Irish piece. Miss Beatty (junior) also gave an Irish reading & Miss Smeeton read Tennyson's "Spinnakers Sweethearts". Miss Girtzel gave us some most delightful recitations in the Devonshire dialect which were most realistic, & were thoroughly appreciated.

May 20<sup>th</sup>  
Mrs E. Smeeton read us a most interesting paper on the life of Mendelssohn, illustrated by selections from his works.

The evening opened with the Cornelius March which was played with much spirit by the band.

The song "Wert thou in the could blast" was very well rendered by Mrs Taylor and Mrs Young, and Mrs Barnett's solo "Oh, Rest in the Lord" was much enjoyed.

Mrs Taylor's pianoforte solo was excellently given and the chorus "Oh, for the <sup>arms of adored</sup> ~~the Lord~~" with the solo sung by Mrs Barnett met with much appreciation.

The evening concluded with the beautiful part song "Auf Wiedersehen".

We greatly appreciated Mrs Smeeton's paper, and felt that we had got a clear glimpse into the life of one of Germany's greatest composers.



November 22<sup>nd</sup> 1905.

Miss Mahoney read a most interesting paper on "Heinrich Heine". The sketch of his life was admirably drawn up. His works were illustrated by several extracts read by Miss Kitching, the Misses Tetley, Haslam, Dyke & others. Miss Gayford recited "Mein Kind war wasser kinder" very well. We all greatly enjoyed Miss Barnett's rendering of a number of short songs. We all sang "Die Lorelei" at the close of a most pleasant evening.

November 23<sup>rd</sup> 1905.

In honour of Mr Paug's visit, the Juniors gave us a very amusing entertainment this evening. The first <sup>part</sup> consisted of a French play, called "Rosalie", the three parts being taken by Miss Whitall, Miss Young & Miss Honro. They all acted with great spirit, & the climax was reached, when "Rosalie" the maid would insist on apologies from both "Monsieur" & "Madame", which she got in the end, making a very amusing scene.

The second part consisted of French Historical Tableaux, including "The assassination of Henry III", "Joan of Arc with Charles VII", "Louis XVI & Marie Antoinette at Varennes", and "Margaret of Scotland with Hain Chartier". The dresses were very good, and most of the scenes were recognised at once.



Farewell Entertainment December 12<sup>th</sup>.  
 This evening the Juniors gave a most amusing & original play entitled "Ladies." The scenes were all laid at the house of Mr Smythe, retired grocer with a wife & one daughter, a girl of about 11 years old, who had a P. h. & V. governess. The most amusing part was the Lady Servants & the kitchen maid a Scotch girl, named Tibbie. An aunt of Mr Smythe's came to spend a few days with the family & was horrified at the state of things she found in the house, owing to the ignorance of the mistress & the tyranny of the Lady Servants. Miss de Vere - the Lady cook was always either dictating to Mrs Smythe or ordering poor Tibbie to do both her own work & that of the Lady housemaid too. "Tibbie - Tibbie - why have not you got the kitchen ready for me - Is this any place for a lady to come

into? Now am I to get the Russian cakes & the German pastry made, & my dancing practice done before dinner if I am to prepare the things myself?" She made some German pastry, which was not exactly appetizing to look at. She & Miss Montmorency, the Lady housemaid, also practised their dance on the stage. Mr Smythe's aunt falls ill, & is attended by a Lady doctor who can only suggest "physical drill" to cure neuritis!

The end is reached when Mr & Mrs Smythe have to do the work themselves with Tibbie's help, as the Lady Servants refuse to do "anything extra" when the aunt is ill.

The last scene sees Mr & Mrs Smythe coming to their senses, & dismissing the Lady Servants, at the aunt's instigation.

The whole play was very funny & very clever. We enjoyed it immensely.



After the play we retired to the dining  
room for supper & crackers.  
We finished up with dancing &  
"For Auld Lang Syne" in the class  
room.

February 6<sup>th</sup> 1906.

Political Debate.

Chairman Miss L. Stainton (Israeli)

Conservative Speakers Sir H. Harben (H. H. Dyke)

Arthur Gibbs (M. F. Davis)

E. Aldred Carlyle (C. C. Morris)

Liberals. Mr. Chiozza Money (M. Hankin)

Mr. Lehmann (H. Smeeton)

Mr. Asquith (M. Bratty)

Lord Dalhousie (J. Macfarlane).

The Chairman's letter was first read,  
Israeli himself being absent, by  
his deputy -

The first subject for discussion was  
Protection v. Free Trade. Sir Henry Harben  
opened the case for Protection, and was  
answered by Mr. Lehmann. There was

a spirited discussion before the next  
question was called up. The Conservatives  
got the first question, as was only natural,  
as the Speakers on the Conservative side  
were very able, & they were able to disprove  
most of the statements made by the Liberals.  
The second question was that of  
Chinese Labour, which was unfortunately  
unfinished. Mr. Chiozza Money opened  
this question on the Liberal side & was  
answered by a very able speech  
by Mr. Carlile.

Discussion was unfinished, when the  
meeting was forced to break up.

February 24<sup>th</sup> Half-term Saturday.

The fancy dress dance of this evening was a  
great success, the costumes showing more  
care & originality than usual. We began the  
evening with a lecture on bullet (illustrated  
by lantern slides) given by Mr. Yates.  
Mr. & Mrs. Yates stayed for the dance & were  
most kind in playing waltzes, air, waltzes etc.



Mr. Gales seemed to take great pleasure in making rough sketches of the best characters. The entrance of Miss Broome in kilt carrying most elaborate home made bagpipes, created much amusement. She was leading Christopher elegantly attired in green breeches, red coat & blue gill. Miss Hilda Smedon aspired to the Salvation Army & looked most pious & Miss Taylor made a splendid Presbyterian minister in cassock. Miss Dyke as "Polly" accompanied by her kettle (Miss Gayford) they made a delightful contrast Polly's spotted white apron accentuating the blackness of the kettle which was very cleverly done even to the flames of glowing paper. Trautlein Hamburger made an attractive headman - Miss Barriest Smedon was very successful as "Miss Deborah" in Crayford. Mr. Franklin was present in Japanese costume & Miss Franklin in glee. The evening ended with the time honoured song by Mr. Gales i.e. "Japanese Love Song" the wild wail about etc.

Feb. 26<sup>th</sup> 1906

The Juniors gave a most amusing entertainment consisting of a scene from the "Mill on the Floss" and a short play entitled "Such is Fame."

Miss Sharpe took the part of Mr. Pullett, Miss Frost was Mr. Sullivan, and Miss Luller made a most meek & retiring Mr. Pullett. The scene was that of Mr. Pullett showing her bonnet to Mr. Sullivan.

"I've sometimes thought there's a loop too much o' ribbon on this left side, sister. What do you think?" The audience, like Mr. Pullett, awaited Mr. Sullivan's verdict with intense interest. The bonnet was a perfect vista of beauty & needed no alteration.

The only thing that marred our enthusiasm was Mr. Pullett's mournful prognostication that she might never wear it twice but then 'tis the way o' the world.

The second part of the programme was the comedy "Such is Fame."



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Saturday June 2<sup>nd</sup> 1906

From June 1<sup>st</sup> to the 5<sup>th</sup> there was a Conference of Secondary Teachers held here to discuss the P.N.E.U. principles. On Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> the garden-party took place at which the students acted "As You Like It". After weeks of incessant rain we were honoured by the most brilliant sunshine. The performance was held out-of-doors, near the steps by the Wordsworth Terrace. After months of careful preparation & frequent rehearsals the play went off quite satisfactorily. Miss Whittall made a most effective Rosalind, & was certainly capable of inspiring a less impressionable youth than Orlando. Miss Taylor, as Celia & Miss Dyke as the melancholy Jacques filled their parts admirably. Miss Moore as Orlando quite enlisted the sympathy of the audience by her interpretation of the part. Touchstone (Miss Davis) & Audrey (Miss Jennings) were full of fun & provided most effective by-play. The two Dukes (Miss Oliver and Miss Gayford) were most

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awe-inspiring and Miss Franklin as Oliver looked her part to perfection. Le Beau (Miss Beatty), Court (Miss Macfarlane) Silvius (Miss Edgar) First Lord (Miss Adie) Charles (Miss Bell) Adam (Miss Smeeton) were all excellent in their several ways. Friends (Miss Young) Miss Henderson and Miss Watters provided the singing which was admirable. It would be invidious to mention any one costume when all were so suitable and well-designed. The stage was beautifully decorated by the Juniors, who also provided bouquets of flowers.

#### Entertainment

given by the Juniors.

May 19<sup>th</sup> '06. The Juniors gave us an entertainment to rest our brains after the Botany Exam. The first part consisted of wax-works & was most amusingly well carried out. Miss Walker was splendid as Mother Slipper Slipper, & Miss Ross doubled herself up into an excellent Simple Simon. All the wax-works were



most waxy. A few had broken works.  
They had collapsed on the journey over  
from France.

After the waxworks we assisted at  
a "Conference of Initial Ideas of the  
House of Education." Perhaps it was  
the rubbing out of ink stains that  
appealed to us most, but ~~it~~  
everything met with our interested  
approval.

February 12<sup>th</sup> 1907.

On Shrove Tuesday the juniors gave an excellent  
entertainment. The first part consisted  
of scenes from Cranford - "Miss Pole's teaparty".  
The costumes were excellent & the Hon Mrs Jameson's  
snore was most realistic. Christopher took  
the part of Carlo and being new to the stage  
was either seized with stage fright or thought  
the profession beneath his dignity for he was  
most anxious to escape & finally had to be  
sent out. When the play was over Christopher  
was found outside finishing the tea which

consisted of biscuits.

The second part of the entertainment included  
music & recitations among the latter being  
the Pied Piper of Hamelin with tableaux vivants

Monday April 8<sup>th</sup> - Monday April 15<sup>th</sup> Students Conference

Masked Ball. Everybody was asked to come  
with black velvet masks & hair arranged in a  
different style from the one usually worn. The  
present students found little difficulty in  
recognising each other but with the  
ex-students it was more difficult.

During the evening Miss Owen took the  
part of Alice & Miss Rothera was the Mock  
Turtle in the scene from Alice in Wonderland  
between Alice & the Mock Turtle.

The juniors gave an entertainment which  
comprised Tableaux, scenes from well-known  
books, and music.

The books chosen were Jane Eyre, Nicholas  
Nickelby, Esmond, Little Women, Maud, The



Cricket on the Heath, Vanity Fair, Alice in Wonderland, etc.

Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup>

A Schumann Concert was given under the direction of Fraulein Grimm. and many people were present including ex-students and friends of the College.

After it was over Mr. Yates sang to us the Japanese Love Song, "These two men were brothers, Clemantine etc.

May 17<sup>th</sup>

The Seniors having a Botany exam much regretted ~~have~~ missing the entertainment given by the Juniors in honour of Mrs. Franklin who came for the Half-term bringing Olive & Cyril.

It was a repetition of the first in scenes from Cranford followed by Plantation songs in costume. It was evidently amusing and very much enjoyed by those who were lucky enough to see it.

May 18<sup>th</sup> Saturday.

A fancy dress ball was given on half-term Saturday. The costumes were varied & original; some of the characters being Spanish Lady, Red Indian & his Squaw, Red Riding Hood & the Wolf, Grace Darling, Parsée Man, Colonial Conference, The old woman in her Shoe, Tweedle Dum & Tweedle Dee. During the evening the Wolf was attacked & killed by the Red Indian but happily this was the only tragic element as all other characters managed to conform to the laws of civilization for a few hours.

Dec: 1904.

Twelfth Night.

French Play for Mr. Pargé Visit - d'Amato.



1908.

Shrove Tuesday.

The juniors gave a splendid entertainment consisting of scenes from Nicolas Nickleby. Miss Jenkinson was especially amusing as the Man from Next Door; the flames of affection thrown from the top of the wall along with cabbages & turnips were most disconcerting! while the way in which she wriggled & twisted herself, made eyes at her dancing toes while she kept time with her hands, converted her entire audience. Miss Pollard was splendid as Mrs. Nickleby & Miss Chalmer as Kate; Miss Good and Miss Rigby made fine-looking young men, amusements de Kate; Miss Smith made a charming Nicolas, and Miss Kembleth was most comical as Miss La Creeper.

Scenes from The Mill on the Floss.

Mr. Glegg - - - - H.E. Pollard.  
 Mrs. Glegg - - - - J. Aitken  
 Scene II Mrs. Pullet's Sitting Room  
 Mrs. Pullet - - - - L. Mac Donald  
 Mr. Pullet - - - - F. Read  
 Mr. Tulliver. - - - - G. Fellowes.  
 Lucy & Maggie - - - - E. Stevens & E. Brown

Tableaux.

- I Monkey Brand
- II Pears Soap
- III Bovril
- IV Sunlight Soap
- V Cox
- VI Mellins Food
- VII Keatings Powder.



At the beginning of the Summer Term the Juniors gave an entertainment on the occasion of Mr. Haakle's visit.

The scene from the Moll & the Hoss was especially good in which Mr. Gutterer's Pullet produced her new hat for the admiration of Mr. Gutterer. All the characters are to be congratulated on the way in which they played their parts. The advertisements were splendidly done and very amusing.

Mr. Dallas Yorke was expected to pay us a visit this summer but she was unable to come unfortunately. The Juniors acted scenes from the Princess in the garden by the Wordsworth Steps. It had a fine day & the play was very pretty indeed. Mr. Yates admired the dresses & position of the actresses in one scene so much that he painted a picture of the scene, which was much admired at

the Exhibition in London.



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Nov: 2nd. The Juniors acted 'Les Pécieuses  
Ridicules' for Mr. Perez' visit. Miss MacDonnell,  
Miss W. Council & Miss Smith are especially to  
be congratulated for the splendid way  
in which they entered into the spirit of  
their parts.

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Dec: 16th.

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Miss J. H. Smith.

Miss Mason & Miss Williams

At Home

Thursday, November 5th.

4 - 6.30 o'clock.

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Part II.

Scene from King John.

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Arthur . . . . ~~Pennie~~

~~Attendants~~ . . . . . ~~Spent time~~

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Violin solo: Romance. Heitsch

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# LES PRÉCIEUSES RIDICULES.\*

Comédie en Un Acte et en Prose.  
Par Molière.

## PERSONNAGES.

La Grange	} amants rebutés	...	{ J. V. GOOD. M. E. RUSHTON.
Du Croisy			
Gorgibus, bon bourgeois	...	...	H. E. POLLARD.
Madelon, fille de Gorgibus	...	...	O. MC.CONNELL.
Cathos, nièce de Gorgibus	...	...	L. MC.DONALD.
Marotte, servante	...	...	G. E. FELLOWS.
Almanzor, laquais	...	...	E. M. STEVENS.
Le marquis de Mascarille, valet de la Grange			J. H. SMITH.
Le vicomte de Fodelet, valet de Du Croisy			J. E. BROWN.
Lucile	} voisines de Gorgibus	...	{ M. E. PARSONS. E. DENNE.
Célimène			
Porteurs, Violons	...	F. J. REID, G. JENKINSON, J. G. AITKEN.	

La scene est à Paris dans la maison de Gorgibus.

\*Copies of the Play may be obtained from Hachette & Co., 18, King William Street, Charing Cross (Bibliothèque Populaire), 2d. each.

N.B.—Cette comédie est la 3ième que Molière a écrite, faite pour Paris et jouée à Paris Représentée le 18 Nov., 1652.



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As a farewell play to the depart-  
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from 'The Christmas Carol', which they  
had cut down themselves. Miss Weaving  
was very good as Scrooge, and Miss Reid  
as Bob Cratchit. To explain the course of  
events between the scenes Miss Bishop as  
Charles Dickens read from the Christmas  
Carol. Tiny Tim hopped about on his  
crutches & wished everyone 'A Merry Christmas'.



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In Vanity Fair, the part of Becky Sharp was most admirably played by Miss Jones. Other of the Juniors also distinguished themselves as actresses.

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Easter Term. 1909

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February 4<sup>th</sup> week

April 1<sup>st</sup> week

Seniors v. Juniors

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March 2<sup>nd</sup> week

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Scale How  
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The Tablaux had many excellent stagings, & the staging was very well done, & the most carefully thought out & arranged.





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April 1911.

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3.30 - 6 o'clock.

(To meet the "Old Students' Conference.")

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# Programme.

Song ..... D. Bradford

Scene I from "The Rivals"  
*Dressing room in M<sup>rs</sup> Malaprop's lodgings.*

Recitation ..... E. L. Crowe.

Scene II from "The Rivals"  
*M<sup>rs</sup> Malaprop's lodgings.*

Song ..... M. M. Wilson.

Tableau I  
*Queen Victoria receiving the news of her accession.*

Tableau II  
*Marie Antoinette hearing her accusation read.*

Song ..... J. Viney.

Tableau III  
*Charlotte Corday before execution.*

Tableau IV  
*Suffragette.*

## Dramatis Personae.

Sir Anthony Absolute  
 Captain Absolute  
 M<sup>rs</sup> Malaprop  
 Lydia Languish  
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# Rubinstein - Chopin Recital.

## PROGRAMME.

1. Piano Solo .. "Valse Caprice" .. .. Rubinstein  
Miss CHALMERS.
2. Songs .. 1 "Es war ein alter König" .. .. { Rubinstein  
2 "Der Asra" .. .. { Heine  
Fräulein GRIMM.
3. Piano Solo .. "Polonaise" (G Flat) .. .. Chopin  
Miss WILSON.
4. Song .. .. "Neue Liebe" .. .. Rubinstein  
Mrs. HALL.
5. Piano Solo .. "Nocturne" (A Flat) .. .. Chopin  
Miss AITKEN.
6. Vocal Duet .. .. "The Angel" .. .. Rubinstein  
Misses WARING and CHALMERS.
7. Piano Solo .. "Romance in E Flat" .. .. Rubinstein  
"Valse brillante No. 2" .. .. Chopin  
Fräulein GRIMM.
8. Songs .. .. 1 "Es blinkt der Tau" .. .. Rubinstein  
Miss WARING.  
2 "Lithauisches Lied" .. .. Chopin  
Miss CHALMERS.
9. Piano Duet .. .. "Tarantella" .. .. Rubinstein  
Misses POLLARD and BROWN.
10. Song .. .. "Du bist wie eine Blume" .. .. { Rubinstein  
Miss WARING. Heine
11. Piano Solo .. .. "Waltz VII." .. .. Chopin  
Miss CORDEUX.
12. Piano Solo .. .. "Dumka" .. .. Rubinstein  
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